

Department of Veterans Affairs: Veteran Surveys and Studies

20,048

Number of Veterans who participated in the **2001 National Survey of Veterans**

Why was the **2001 National Survey of Veterans** important?

- It was the fifth of a series of nationwide surveys used to help the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) plan its future programs and services to Veterans - including those who used VA benefits and services and those who did not.
- It provided VA, Congress, stakeholders and the public with valuable information about the Veteran population.
- The results were used to support VA policy, planning, and quality improvement processes.

What types of information were collected in the **2001 National Survey of Veterans**?

- Military Background
- Socio-demographics
- Health Care
- Disability
- Mortgage Loan
- Life Insurance
- Education and Training
- Burial Benefits

Help VA understand and improve the employment opportunities for Veterans

What was the purpose of the 2007 Employment Histories of Recently Discharged Veterans Study?

What types of information were collected in the **2007 Veterans Employability Research Survey**?

- Current status in Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment
- Application process
- Evaluation process
- Planning phase
- Rehabilitation and training
- Job preparation and placement
- Overall experience
- Reasons for discontinuing training
- Military/Employment background and status
- Health status
- Self-efficacy
- Socio-demographics

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